



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Kyoko HIGASHINO, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/737,564

Confirmation No.: 9907

Filed: December 18, 2000

For: STATOR FOR AN ALTERNATOR

Group Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: Pedro J. Cuevas

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 12, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

✓ **IN THE TITLE:**

Please delete the present title and replace it with the following new title:

--NEUTRAL-POINT JOINT PORTION OF STATOR WINDING FOR AN  
ALTERNATOR--

✓ **IN THE CLAIMS:**

✓ Please cancel claims 3 and 4 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claims:

1. (Amended) A stator for an alternator, said stator comprising:

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